

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

SERVICIOS FUNERARIOS GG, S.A. DE C.V.,

Plaintiff,

v.

ADVENT INTERNATIONAL
CORPORATION,

Defendant,

and

ADVENT INTERNATIONAL
CORPORATION,

Counterclaim-Plaintiff,

v.

SERVICIOS FUNERARIOS GG, S.A. DE C.V.,

Counterclaim-Defendant.

Civil Action No. 23-cv-10684-IT

**DECLARATION OF DANIEL V. WARD IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANT AND
COUNTERCLAIM-PLAINTIFF AIC'S OPPOSITION TO SERVICIOS FUNERARIOS'
MOTION TO COMPEL PRODUCTION AND IDENTIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS**

I, Daniel V. Ward, hereby declare as follows:

1. I am member of the Bar of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and a Partner of the law firm of Ropes & Gray LLP that represents Defendant and Counterclaim-Plaintiff Advent International Corporation ("AIC") in this matter. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein. I respectfully submit this declaration in support of AIC's Opposition to Servicios Funerarios' Motion to Compel Production and Identification of Documents.

2. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of an August 22, 2023 email from Gabriel Soledad with the subject "RE: Correspondence re discovery responses."

3. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of a September 5, 2023 email from Gabriel Soledad with the subject “RE: Discovery meet-and-confer.”

4. Attached hereto as Exhibit C is a true and correct copy of a September 7, 2023 email from Gabriel Soledad with the subject “Re: Discovery meet-and-confer.”

5. Attached hereto as Exhibit D is a true and correct copy of an October 5, 2023 email from Brooke A. Alexander with the subject “RE: Discovery Questions.”

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. This declaration was executed on October 17, 2023.

/s/ Daniel V. Ward
Daniel V. Ward

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 17th day of October, 2023, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served via the CM/ECF system on all counsel of record.

/s/ Daniel V. Ward
Daniel V. Ward